

STATE OF NEW YORK

LEGISLATURE OF ERIE COUNTY

BUFFALO, N.Y., JUNE 11, 2015, A.D.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT *at a regular session of the Legislature of Erie County held in the County Hall, in the City of Buffalo, on the 11th day of June, 2015 A.D., a resolution was adopted, of which the following is a true copy:*

WHEREAS, Robert Brunner, a life-long resident of Hamburg and owner of J.P. Fitzgerald's, is married to Tracey, and has twin sons, Aiden & Addam, and a daughter, Presleigh; and

WHEREAS, Robert Brunner opened J.P. Fitzgerald's in June of 1990; and

WHEREAS, J.P. Fitzgerald's has expanded six times during the past 25 years and currently employs more than 90 individuals, which has a positive impact on the Hamburg economy; and

WHEREAS, J.P. Fitzgerald's is one of the southtown's hottest spots for casual fun with family and friends with outdoor patios, 26 flat-screen TVs, free Wi-Fi, and the "Best Reuben Sandwich in Western New York;" and

WHEREAS, J.P. Fitzgerald's was been named a Top Workplace by the Buffalo News in 2014 in the Hospitality & Entertainment Category; and

WHEREAS, J.P. Fitzgerald's proudly provides their family of customers the best quality food, service, fun and "Smiling Irish Eyes"; and

WHEREAS, J.P. Fitzgerald's has taken an active role in nurturing the Western New York area with the establishment of J.P.'s Foundation in 2010; and

WHEREAS, J.P. Foundation has donated more than \$350,000 to local children and adults with autism and enabled the opening of an Autism Resource Center right here in our neighborhood.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED, *the Erie County Legislature pauses in its deliberations to recognize J.P. Fitzgerald's on its 25th Anniversary of serving Hamburg and the Western New York community.*

Lynne Dixon
Erie County Legislator – 9th District

Karen M. McCarthy
Clerk of the Legislature